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Ms. Magalie R. Salas
Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, SW
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RE: ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION CERTIFICATION FOR FEDERAL
UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND RECIPIENTS PER CC DOCKET NO. 96-45

Dear Ms. Salas:

The Federal Communications Commission's Fourteenth Report and Order and Twenty-Second Order on Reconsideration in CC Docket No. 96-45 released on May 23, 2001, directed state utility commissions to certify compliance by Eligible Telecommunications Carriers ("ETC's") with Section 254(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 ("1996 Act").

Accordingly, with this letter the Arizona Corporation Commission certifies that the carriers listed below are ETC's within the meaning of Section 214(e) of the 1996 Act. To the best of our knowledge, based upon the ETC certifications attached, all federal high-cost support for the company's Arizona exchanges will be used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended, consistent with Section 254(e) of the 1996 Act.

1	Verizon California, Inc.
2	Citizens Telecommunications Company of the White Mountains
3	Citizens Utilities Rural Company
4	Rio Virgin Telephone
5	Table Top Telephone Company
6	Accipiter Communications, Inc.
7	South Central Utah Telephone Association
8	Smith Bagley, Inc.
9	Midvale Telephone Exchange
10	Copper Valley Telephone
11	Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc.

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12	Southwestern Telephone Company, Inc.
13	Arizona Telephone Company
14	CenturyTel of the Southwest, Inc.
15	Navajo Communications Company
16	Qwest Corporation ¹

If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at (602) 542-7270, or Maureen Scott in the Arizona Corporation Commission Legal Division at (602) 542-6022.

Sincerely,



Steven Olea, Acting Director

Utilities Division

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SMO:ssa

cc: Arizona Service List

¹ Qwest Corporation filed a certification that, although it has been designated as an ETC in its service areas, Qwest does not currently receive any high-cost funds and will not receive any high-cost funds in calendar year 2002.

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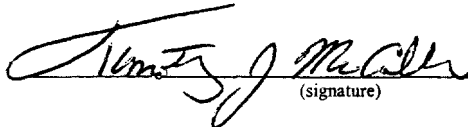
AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING USE OF FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT FUNDS

STATE OF ~~ARIZONA~~ California

COUNTY OF Ventura

I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I am the President of Verizon California, Inc. ("Carrier")
(Official Title) (Company Name)
2. I am a corporate officer of the above mentioned Carrier authorized to certify use of Federal High Cost Support Funds.
3. Carrier is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the Arizona Corporation Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to § 254(e) of the Act.
4. Carrier files this affidavit in compliance with the Federal Communications Commission's Order of May 23, 2001, in Docket No. 96-45, which requires that each state certify to the Federal Communications Commission that all Federal High-Cost Support within this State be used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.
5. Carrier hereby attests that it will use the Federal High Cost Support Funds that it receives in 2002 only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended pursuant to § 254(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.
6. Further affiant sayeth not.


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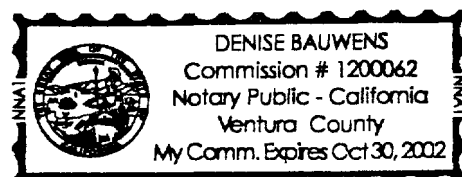
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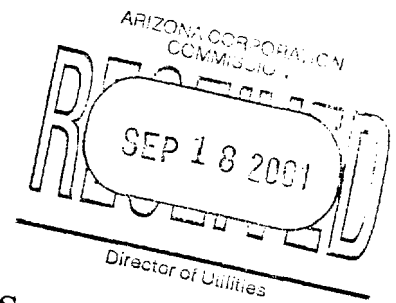
September 20, 2001

(date)

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 20th day of September, 2001.

Denise Bauwens, Notary Public
Ventura County, Arizona California
My Commission Expires 10-30-2002





**AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING USE OF
FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT FUNDS**

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

COUNTY OF FAIRFIELD

I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I am the Vice President, General Counsel and Assistant Secretary of Citizens Communications.

2. I am a corporate officer of Citizens Telecommunications Company of the White Mountains ("CTC"), Exchange Carrier Study Area Code 454426, and authorized to certify use of Federal High-Cost Support Funds.

3. CTC is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the Arizona Corporation Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to § 245(e) of the Act.

4. CTC files this affidavit in compliance with the Federal Communications Commission's Order of May 23, 2001, in Docket No. 96-45, which requires that each state certify to the Federal Communications Commission that all Federal High-Cost Support within this State be used only for the provisions, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

5. CTC hereby attests that it will use the Federal High Cost Support Funds that it receives in 2002 only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended pursuant to § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.

6. Further affiant sayeth not.

(signature)

L. Russell Mitten

(typed name)

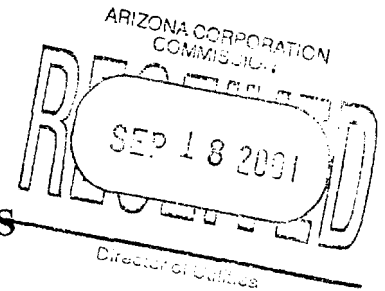
SEPTEMBER 17, 2001

(date)

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 17th day of September 2001.

Richard L. Hedson, Notary Public
Fairfield County, Connecticut
My Commission Expires 5-31-04

**AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING USE OF
FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT FUNDS**



STATE OF CONNECTICUT

COUNTY OF FAIRFIELD

I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I am the Vice President, General Counsel and Assistant Secretary of Citizens Communications.


2. I am a corporate officer of Citizens Utilities Rural Company ("CUR"), Exchange Carrier Study Area Code 452172, and authorized to certify use of Federal High-Cost Support Funds.

3. CUR is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the Arizona Corporation Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to § 245(e) of the Act.

4. CUR files this affidavit in compliance with the Federal Communications Commission's Order of May 23, 2001, in Docket No. 96-45, which requires that each state certify to the Federal Communications Commission that all Federal High-Cost Support within this State be used only for the provisions, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

5. CUR hereby attests that it will use the Federal High Cost Support Funds that it receives in 2002 only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended pursuant to § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.

6. Further affiant sayeth not.

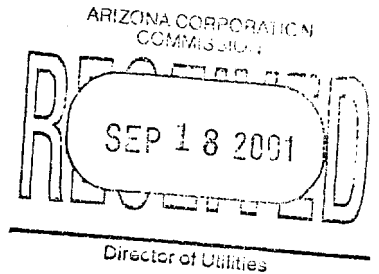

(signature)

L. Russell Mitten

(typed name)

SEPTEMBER 17, 2001
(date)

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 17th day of September 2001.
Richard L. Hudson, Notary Public
Fairfield County, Connecticut
My Commission Expires 5-31-04



AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING USE OF FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT FUNDS

STATE OF ARIZONA

COUNTY OF Mohave

I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I am the President of Rio Virgin Telephone ("Carrier")
(Official Title) (Company Name)
2. I am a corporate officer of the above mentioned Carrier authorized to certify use of Federal High Cost Support Funds.
3. Carrier is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the Arizona Corporation Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to § 254(e) of the Act.
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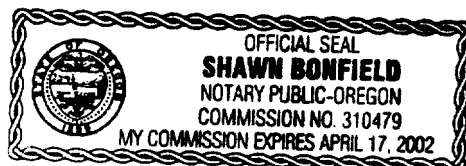
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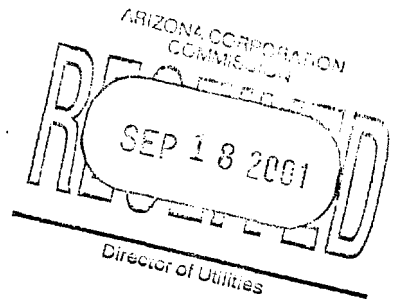
Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 12th day of 2001.

Shawn Bonfield, Notary Public
Clackamas County, Oregon
My Commission Expires 4/17/02





AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING USE OF FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT FUNDS



STATE OF ARIZONA

COUNTY OF: Pima

I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I am the Vice President of Table Top Telephone Co. ("Carrier")
(Official Title) (Company Name)
2. I am a corporate officer of the above mentioned Carrier authorized to certify use of Federal High Cost Support Funds.
3. Carrier is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the Arizona Corporation Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to § 254(e) of the Act.
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6. Further affiant sayeth not.

Matthew J. Boos
(signature)

Matthew J. Boos

(typed name)

September 14, 2001

(date)

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this _____ day of 2001.

_____, Notary Public
_____, County, Arizona
My Commission Expires _____

CALIFORNIA ALL-PURPOSE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

State of California

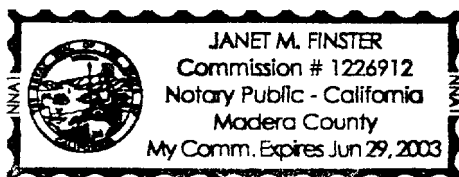
County of Madera } ss.

On 9-14-01, before me, Janet M. Finster, Notary Public

personally appeared Matthew J. Boos

☒ personally known to me
☐ proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence

to be the person(~~s~~) whose name(~~s~~) is/~~are~~ subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/~~she~~/~~they~~ executed the same in his/~~her~~/~~their~~ authorized capacity(~~ies~~), and that by his/~~her~~/~~their~~ signature(~~s~~) on the instrument the person(~~s~~), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(~~s~~) acted, executed the instrument.



Place Notary Seal Above

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Janet M. Finster
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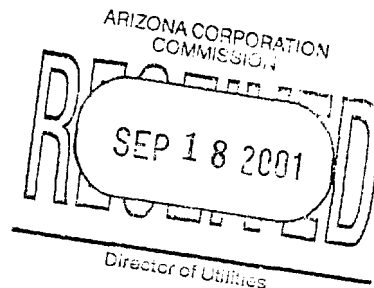
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**AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING USE OF
FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT FUNDS**

STATE OF ARIZONA

COUNTY OF Maricopa

I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I am the President of Accipiter Communications, Inc. ("Carrier")
(Official Title) (Company Name)
2. I am a corporate officer of the above mentioned Carrier authorized to certify use of Federal High Cost Support Funds.
3. Carrier is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the Arizona Corporation Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to § 254(e) of the Act.
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6. Further affiant sayeth not.

(signature)

**ROBERT DALY RICHARDS
PRESIDENT**

(typed name)

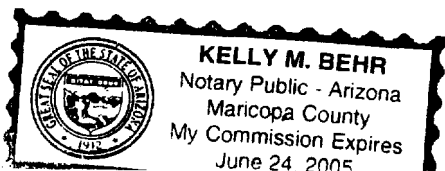
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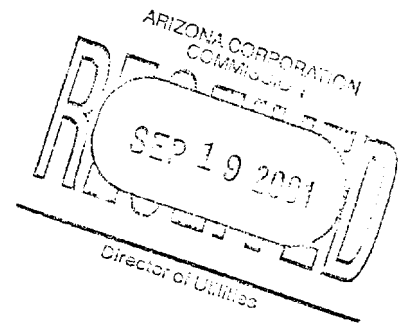
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Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 18 day of 2001.

Kelly M. Behr, Notary Public
Maricopa County, Arizona

My Commission Expires June 24, 2005





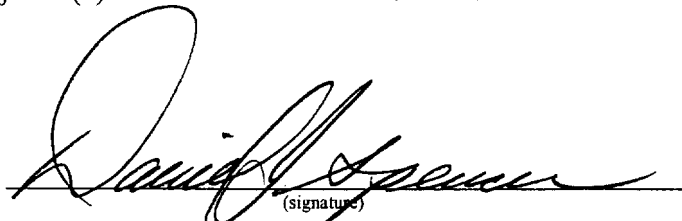
AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING USE OF FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT FUNDS

STATE OF ARIZONA

COUNTY OF Mohave/Coconino

I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I am the Treasurer of South Central Utah Telephone Association ("Carrier")
(Official Title) (Company Name)
2. I am a corporate officer of the above mentioned Carrier authorized to certify use of Federal High Cost Support Funds.
3. Carrier is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the Arizona Corporation Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to § 254(e) of the Act.
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(signature)

Daniel J Spencer

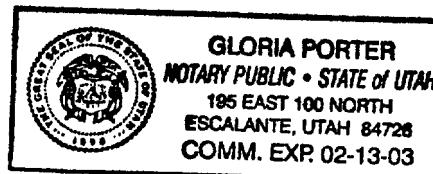
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10 September 2001

(date)

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 9/10 day of 2001.

Gloria Porter, Notary Public
Sheriff County, Arizona Utah
My Commission Expires 2-13-03





**AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING USE OF
FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT FUNDS**

STATE OF ARIZONA

COUNTY OF Navajo

I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I am the Secretary/Gen'l Mgr of Smith Bagley, Inc. ("Carrier")
(Official Title) (Company Name)
2. I am a corporate officer of the above mentioned Carrier authorized to certify use of Federal High Cost Support Funds.
3. Carrier is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the Arizona Corporation Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to § 254(e) of the Act.
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6. Further affiant sayeth not.

(signature)

Richard Watkins

(typed name)

9-14-01

(date)

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 14 day of 2001.

Maya, Notary Public
Navajo County, Arizona
My Commission Expires 4/30/2002



**AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING USE OF
FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT FUNDS**

STATE OF ARIZONA

COUNTY OF Cochise

I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I am the President of Midvale Telephone Exchange (Carrier)
(Official Title) (Company Name)
2. I am a corporate officer of the above mentioned Carrier authorized to certify use of Federal High Cost Support Funds.
3. Carrier is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the Arizona Corporation Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to § 254(e) of the Act.
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6. Further affiant sayeth not.

Lane R. Williams
(signature)

Lane R. Williams
(typed name)

9/10/01

(date)

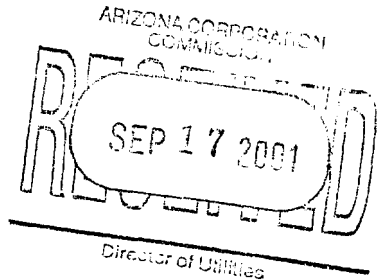
Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 10th day of 2001. September 10, 2001

Glenn K. Bonner Notary Public
Washington County, ~~Arizona~~ Idaho
My Commission Expires 4/6/2006

GLENNIS K. BONNER
Notary Public
State of Idaho



**AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING USE OF
FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT FUNDS**



STATE OF ARIZONA

COUNTY OF Cochise

I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I am the President of Copper Valley Telephone ("Carrier")
(Official Title) (Company Name)
2. I am a corporate officer of the above mentioned Carrier authorized to certify use of Federal High Cost Support Funds.
3. Carrier is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the Arizona Corporation Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to § 254(e) of the Act.
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6. Further affiant sayeth not.

Judy D. Bruns
(signature)

Judy D. Bruns
(typed name)

September 11, 2001

(date)

Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 11th day of 2001.

Pamela S. DiPeso, Notary Public

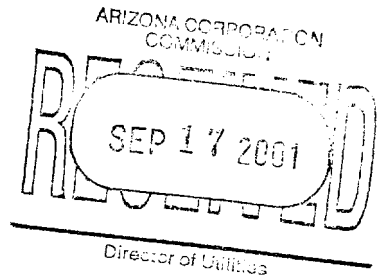
Cochise County, Arizona

My Commission Expires _____





**AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING USE OF
FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT FUNDS**



STATE OF ARIZONA

COUNTY OF Cochise

I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I am the CEO/General Manager of Valley Telephone Coop. ("Carrier")
(Official Title) (Company Name)
2. I am a corporate officer of the above mentioned Carrier authorized to certify use of Federal High Cost Support Funds.
3. Carrier is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the Arizona Corporation Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to § 254(e) of the Act.
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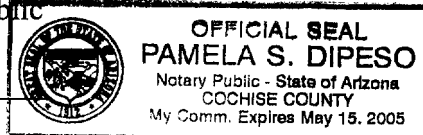
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(typed name)

September 11, 2001
(date)

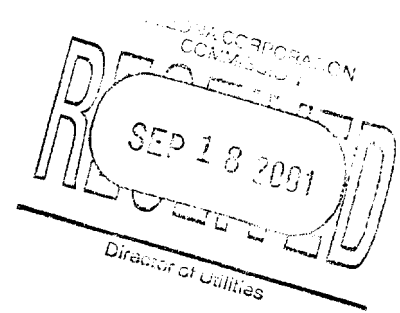
Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 11th day of SEPTEMBER, 2001

Pamela S. DiPeso, Notary Public
COCHISE County, Arizona
My Commission Expires _____



STATE OF WISCONSIN

COUNTY OF DANE



I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I am the President of Southwestern Telephone Company, Inc. ("Carrier")
2. I am a corporate officer of the above mentioned Carrier authorized to certify use of Federal High Cost Support Funds.
3. Carrier is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of 214c of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the Arizona Corporation Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to 254(e) of the Act.
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6. Further affiant sayeth not.

Michael Pandow

Signature

Michael Pandow

Typed name

9/17/01

Date

Subscribed and sworn to before me

This September 17 day of 2001.

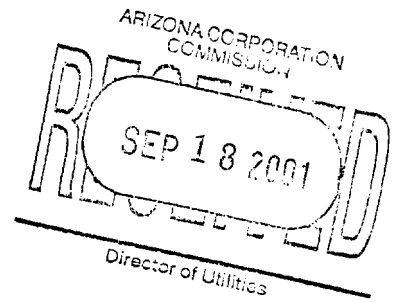
Luis L. Spatz, Notary Public

Dane, County, Wisconsin

My Commission Expires April 17, 2005

STATE OF WISCONSIN

COUNTY OF DANE



I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I am the President of Arizona Telephone Company ("Carrier")
2. I am a corporate officer of the above mentioned Carrier authorized to certify use of Federal High Cost Support Funds.
3. Carrier is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of 214c of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the Arizona Corporation Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to 254(e) of the Act.
4. Carrier files this affidavit in compliance with the Federal Communications Order of May 23, 2001, in Docket No. 96-45, which requires that each state certify to the Federal Communications Commission that all Federal High-Cost Support within this State be used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.
5. Carrier hereby attests that it will use the Federal High Cost Support Funds that it receives in 2002 only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended pursuant to 254(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.
6. Further affiant sayeth not.

Michael Pandow

Signature

Michael Pandow

Typed name

9/17/01

Date

Subscribed and sworn to before me

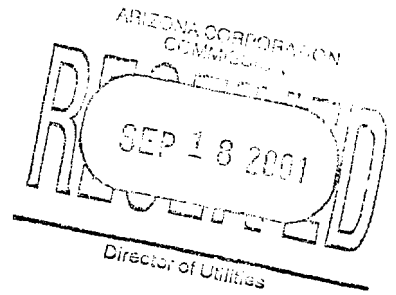
This September 17 day of 2001.

Lois L. Spoth, Notary Public

Dane, County, Wisconsin

My Commission Expires April 17, 2005

AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING USE OF
FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT FUNDS



STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF OUACHITA

I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I am the Vice President and Controller of CenturyTel of the Southwest, Inc. – Arizona ("Carrier")
2. I am a corporate officer of the above mentioned Carrier authorized to certify use of Federal High Cost Support Funds.
3. Carrier is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of §214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the Arizona Corporation Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to §254(e) of the Act.
4. Carrier files this affidavit in compliance with the Federal Communications Commission's Order of May 23, 2001, in Docket No. 96-45, which requires that each state certify to the Federal Communications Commission that all Federal High-Cost Support within this State be used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.
5. Carrier hereby attests that it will use the Federal High Cost Support Funds that it receives in 2002 only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended pursuant to §254(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.
6. Further affiant sayeth not.

Neil A Sweasy
Signature

Neil A. Sweasy
Typed Name

Date

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
17TH day of 2001. (SEPTEMBER)

Franklin P. Jones, Notary Public
Ouachita Parish, Louisiana
My Commission Expires FOR LIFE

ARIZONA CORPORATION
COMMISSION
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Director of Utilities

**AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING USE OF
FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT FUNDS**

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

COUNTY OF FAIRFIELD

I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I am the Vice President, General Counsel and Assistant Secretary of Citizens Communications.

2. I am a corporate officer of Navajo Communications Company ("Navajo"), Exchange Carrier Study Area Code 454449, and authorized to certify use of Federal High-Cost Support Funds.

3. Navajo is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the Arizona Corporation Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to § 245(e) of the Act.

4. Navajo files this affidavit in compliance with the Federal Communications Commission's Order of May 23, 2001, in Docket No. 96-45, which requires that each state certify to the Federal Communications Commission that all Federal High-Cost Support within this State be used only for the provisions, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

5. Navajo hereby attests that it will use the Federal High Cost Support Funds that it receives in 2002 only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended pursuant to § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.

6. Further affiant sayeth not.



(signature)

L. Russell Mitten

(typed name)

SEPTEMBER 17, 2001

(date)

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 17th day of September 2001.

Mildred L. Hudson, Notary Public
Fairfield County, Connecticut

My Commission Expires 5-31-04

**AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING USE OF
FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT FUNDS**

STATE OF COLORADO

COUNTY OF DENVER

I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I am the Vice President and Controller for Qwest Corporation ("Carrier").
2. I am a corporate officer of the above mentioned Carrier authorized to certify use of Federal High Cost Support Funds.
3. Carrier is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the Arizona Corporation Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to § 254(e) of the Act.
4. Carrier hereby certifies that it currently receives no Federal High-Cost Support within the state of Arizona and that under the current funding mechanism it will receive no such Federal High-Cost Support in Arizona during 2002.
5. Further affiant sayeth not.

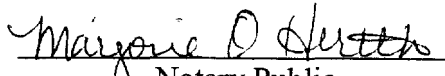


Mark A. Schumacher

9-17-01

Date

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of September, 2001.



Notary Public

County of: Denver

State of: Colorado

Commission Expires: 3-06-05